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Group Art Unit: 1633

Title: METHOD OF IMMOBILIZING BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE MOLECULES FOR ASSAY PURPOSES IN A

MICROFLUIDIC FORMAT

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office communication dated May 31, 2006. This response is identical to the response filed March 20, 2006 with the exception that the deficiencies listed in the Office communication are addressed.